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Subject: BP Whiting Oil Spill

Just making sure you're checking voicemail. I've left you a message with what I know thus far, and will keep you up-to-speed.

I'd like to also reach out to the local communities — Whiting, of course, but also Gary, Hammond, etc. If you have contact info or suggestions, it'd save me a bunch of Googling and be really appreciated. I want to make sure the communities know they can contact me with any questions and that I have a way of sharing info with them.

I'm trying to see if I can organize a phone briefing for elected officials and staff for later today. Of course, the containment and cleanup are most important – but if things are under control, I'd like to put a call together.

If you have any ideas for how we can better communicate, please let me know.

THANKS!

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